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Lorrie Woycik

*Impact Volunteer*



**Special Olympics**  
Indiana



## VOLUNTEER SINCE 1968, DENNIS SCHMIDT IMPACT AWARD WINNER

Lorrie Woycik has been a champion of the Special Olympics movement since the very beginning, volunteering at the inaugural International Games in 1968. A former special education teacher who has called Valparaiso home for more than 60 years, she served as an Area Director in the 1970s and as a coach, volunteer, and Porter County Coordinator for decades. Honored with the Dennis Schmidt Impact Award in 2008, Lorrie has dedicated her life to ensuring that people of all abilities are afforded the opportunity to live life to the fullest.



*"You are the stars and the world is watching you. By your presence, you send a message to every city, every village, every nation. A message of hope, a message of victory."*

**Eunice Kennedy Shriver**

*1987 International Games, South Bend, Indiana*